

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:

LYNCH et al.

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Accumulation

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Amendment and Reply Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116

Commissioner for Patents PO Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Further to the Notice of Appeal filed March 8, 2005, and in reply to the Advisory Action mailed April 11, 2005, Applicants submit the following amendment and Remarks. A Request for Continued Examination under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 and a Petition and fee for a one month extension of time are also being submitted.

It is not believed that extensions of time or fees for net addition of claims are required beyond those that may otherwise be provided for in documents accompanying this paper. However, if additional extensions of time are necessary to prevent abandonment of this application, then such extensions of time are hereby petitioned under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), and any fees required therefor (including fees for net addition of claims) are hereby authorized to be charged to our Deposit Account No. 19-0036.